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      : AND PROCESS FOR  
      : MANUFACTURING THE SAME



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RESPONSE

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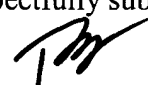
Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Official Action dated February 6, 2003.

We acknowledge the restriction of the Application into Group I, including Claims 1 – 46, and Group II, including Claims 47- 67.

We hereby elect Group II, including Claims 47 – 67, without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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